November 29th 1903 Queensland

F. Hope-Jones Esq. LONDON.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt yesterday of copy of your letter of 23rd Oct to A. Knox and Co. the original not yet having been received by them, nor the manuscript you refer to. No doubt they will come by the next mail, when the directors will cable you. I have not had opportunity to place your copy before them and as the mail leaves tonight thought it better to write to you at once.

In the event of our taking a number of copies the address would have to be left out as they would serve for the different States, in each of which we should have a Depot, and also the prices would be left blank as we anticipate obtaining higher prices to cover duty, carriage etc.

Please note the address to Knox & Co is NOT "Courier Building" but 153 Queen St, Brisbane.

No doubt you will have received my own previous letters of Aug 1st, Sept 18th & 28th, Oct 17th & 24th with explanation of orders and requests for information.

As regards your letters, dates mentioned sent to A. Knox & Co. I believe they have been received but owing to Mr Knox being away in Sydney & Melbourne, where they were forwarded, others arrived before they could be answered,& where I have seen them I have generally acknowledged them myself.

You will have seen by Mr Knox previous letters that he wished for printed matter and in fact we have been at a great disadvantage in not having a good list with illustrations of your stock.

I think also electro duplicates of some of your generally used blocks, could be supplied to us cheaper and better than we could get made here.

At present Mr Knox is away in Japan returning early next year by which time the new stock will have arrived.

Yours faithfully, Alf Geo Jackson